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Graded School Celebrates.

Monday afternoon Miss Robert's room, composed of the fourth and fifth grades, celebrated Washington's birthday in a very appropriate manner. The parents of the children in that room were invited, and all who attended the exercises said they were entertained highly.

Tuesday morning in Prof. Wilson's room, the students of his and Miss Rickmans rooms celebrated the birthday of our greatest American. The seating space was all taken. The program was a very appropriate one on the occasion, being composed largely of patriotic songs and recitations. Those present expressed themselves delighted with the exercises.

Visitors are always made to feel very welcome at the school by the teachers and are certainly made happy by the work which the children are doing.

Public Sale.

On Monday March 7th being county court day, I will at one o'clock on the public square of Columbia, offer to the highest bidder the following:

2 good work horses, one 8 and one 12 years old, sound.

One 34 birdsleg wagon good as new.

Two set good wagon harness.

One steel tire buggy good as new.

Come and get a bargain. Terms made known on day of sale.

Coy E. Dudgeon.

The Adair County News desires to return its grateful thanks to the people of Russell county for the support of this paper. We had published notices, stating that a representative of the News would be in Jamestown the two first days of circuit court, and notwithstanding the roads were bad and the weather disagreeable, a great many friends met him, paid up, and renewed their subscriptions. While the News is liberally supported in all the adjoining counties, Russell is the banner county outside of Adair. We would be ungrateful if we did not appreciate the patronage from this grand old county, and we again return thanks, promising to use our utmost endeavors to make the paper as interesting in the future as it has been in the past.

Mr. J. Cager Yates, who represents the Bradfordsville Overall Company, returned from a two months trip last week. While out he sold 15,000 dozen overalls. That is going some, but when you take into consideration the ability of the salesman, it is not extra remarkable. We remember away back, about the time the trees commenced to grow, Jim Cager traveled for his hat house at Louisville, and at that time he could get over more territory, swimming the creeks if they were "on a high," and sell more hats than any other man on the road.

For Sale.

Pure bred, S. C. Rhode Island Red Cockerles, \$1.00 each. Also Eggs for hatching, same stock, \$1.00 for 15.

Mrs. W. C. Leach,
Joppa, Ky.

The box supper and entertainment held at the Russell Springs Academy last Tuesday night was very successful. The entertainment consisted of music, plays, recitations, etc. The boxes which had been prepared by the young ladies of the town, were sold to the highest bidder. They brought from 25 cents to \$4.50 per box.

Russell Springs will soon be an incorporated town. A municipal board will be elected and steps taken at once for better streets and more light. It is said that Mr. J. E. Snow, the proprietor of the roller mill, is perfectly willing to install a dynamo, nearly every family in town signifying a willingness to take lights.

A lodge of I. O. O. F.'s, will be organized in Columbia at an early day. The petition to the Grand Master, asking for a dispensation, was forwarded last week. The exact date for the organization will be given later. A number of Old-Fellows of Russell Springs and Jamestown have signified a willingness to be present.

On account of high waters and disagreeable weather, a light crowd was in Jamestown the first day of Circuit Court. However, it was a busy day with farmers, tradesmen and merchants and a great deal of money changed hands.

We learn from lawyers and litigants that the people of Russell county are well pleased with their new Circuit Judge, J. C. Carter. He dispatches business rapidly and is very courteous to the bar and to others who have business before him.

Born, to the wife of Ralph Waggoner, the 28th, a daughter.

At the Methodist Church Next Sunday.

Rev. T. L. Hulce, P. E., will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning. The occasion being the Second Quarterly Conference for the Columbia and Tabor charge. At the evening service the pastor will deliver an address on "The Women's Work," and install the officers elect of the two societies for the women. The public in general are invited and all the members of the church urged to attend these service.

Sunday school at 9:50 a. m. Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m.

Historical Party.

A delightful historical party was given by the Misses Baker on Tuesday afternoon February 22, 1910.

Many minds were puzzled as to whether a certain General was a hero of 1776 or 1812. What pertained to the army and the T. test. But at last the flag waved bravely over every question answered. An elaborate luncheon was served. Those present were: Mesdames Patterson, Murrell, Coffey, Bradshaw, Patterson, Russell, Currie, Coffey, Miller, White, Misses Clark, Harrison, Rickman, Triplett.

Where are They?

Ye friends of my boyhood,
Where are you to-day?
Passing life's journey
Out of the way.
Where careworn and weary
You stopped for repose
In that silent slumber
Death only bestows.
Life's labors all ended
His pleasures all passed,
Secure from all blows.
You're anchored at last,
Though storms may arise
Their gathering waves
Sound a sad requiem
O'er your silent graves.
There's others to greet us
Whom once you have been,
For the crowd's ever changing
As guests at an Inn,
Always forming mortals
Are here for a day
The rest all to follow
We're going that way.
But where those fond spirits?
We each loved so well
Are they still about us?
Alas who can tell,
If gone to the giver
Where he is they are,
And may linger near us
For Gods everywhere.

J. T. Jones,
Montpelier, Ky.

Death.

Mrs. Mary Powell, a highly respected lady ninety-three years of age who resided in White Oak, sixteen miles south east of Columbia, and the wife of Oliver Powell, died on the twenty second day of February at her home with the infirmities incident to old age. The deceased was well and favorably known in the community in which she resided and her death was regretted by all who knew her.

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A postal from Owensby, Russell county, says: "On Saturday the 26th inst., Mr. Shelby Williams, who has been sick for over three months, succumbed to the inevitable and passed over the river of death. He was 56 years old and leaves wife, daughter, and five sisters, besides numerous other friends. He left evidence of his faith. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Thomas Hadley, after which the remains were laid to rest in the family grave yard at this place."

Phelps Bros., who are now the proprietors of the Patterson Hotel, Jamestown, are conducting a very good house and luncheon and passed over the river of death. He was 56 years old and leaves wife, daughter, and five sisters, besides numerous other friends. He left evidence of his faith. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Thomas Hadley, after which the remains were laid to rest in the family grave yard at this place."

Ed Kidd, whose home was in Casey county, a son of the late Dan Kidd, who was killed by the Croketts, lost his life at Faubush, Pulaski county, last week. He was killed by a train named Wyatt Combs.

It was impossible to stop the pigs last week. They started on a quick run and Thursday they were up to \$9.75 on the Louisville market and in Buffalo, O. Y., they brought \$10.05.

Coleman & Daugherty, of Edmonton, were here last Friday, buying horses and mules. They bought six head ranging in price from \$105 to \$200 per head.

The three year old child of Mr. Joe Scott, of Coburg, died Tuesday, Feb. 22, and was buried at the Carmel grave yard on the following Wednesday.

JOHN J. BIGGS.

A Well-Known Revenue Officer, Dies After a Short Illness at Loretto.

FUNERAL SERVICES AT COLUMBIA, HIS HOME.

The people of this community were greatly shocked last Sunday morning when the intelligence of the death of Mr. John J. Biggs was phoned over the city, and only words of sorrow and sympathy for the devoted wife could be heard. His sickness was of short duration, only a few days, and but few people in Columbia knew that he was ill. He was a victim of pneumonia, and while he received the closest attention, earthly hands could not check the ravages of the fatal disease. The end came Saturday night at his boarding-house, Loretto, February 28, 1910, his devoted wife, sister-in-law, Miss Fannie Smythe, and a number of friends being at his bedside.

The deceased was born and reared near Cane Valley, this county, but for a number of years he resided in the suburbs of Columbia, and was known and respected as one of the best citizens in Adair county.

On the 24th day of May, 1900, he was happily married to Miss Mary E. Smythe, of this place, and for the past five or six years they resided in their beautiful home, near town, surrounded with everything that goes to make life worth living.

The deceased was a man of high character; his word was his bond, and the world was made poorer at his leaving. When the end came he was in his sixtieth year. Soon after he reached his majority he petitioned and was received into Tamplin Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, and a short time after the third degree was conferred upon him he was elected Master of the lodge, holding the position for several years.

About two years ago he made a profession of his faith in Christ, united with the Presbyterian Church and held a consistent member until the final dissolution.

The funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon at 1:30, conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. R. Crawford, assisted by Eld. Z. T. Williams. At the conclusion of the religious services, the remains were turned over to the Masonic Fraternity, borne to the city cemetery and there deposited with the usual formalities of the order.

This community extends its deepest sympathy to the sorrowing wife and all other relatives.

Mr. S. A. Antle has purchased property in Russell Springs, and is now a citizen of that thrifty town. Mr. Antle has joined interests with Mr. L. E. Darnell under the firm name of Antle & Darnell. They are now receiving farm implements, bugaries, harness and field seeds, which they will handle.

For Sale.

Some nice Thoroughbred Berkshire pigs.
Jno. W. Flowers,
Columbia, Ky.

Here is a Bargain For You.

Daily Courier-Journal by mail three months and The Adair County News, one year, both for only \$1.75. The price of the daily Courier-Journal is \$9 a year, \$1.50 for three months. We have made a special arrangement whereby we will accept orders for that paper and ours during January, February and March only at the price for both named above. Send in your subscription at once and keep posted on the progress of Legislature. Sunday Courier-Journal not included in this offer. Send 50 cents additional if Sunday issue is desired.

Weekly Courier-Journal is just as good as it ever was. We can furnish the Weekly and our paper both for one year for \$1.50.

Born, to the wife of J. W. Kimble, Russell Springs, Sunday night, February 20, 1910, a daughter. Mother and baby doing nicely. Mrs. Kimble is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith, this place.

Mr. Ephraim Cawhorne, who lived near the toll-gate, died last Saturday night. He leaves a wife and several children in very distressing circumstances. The remains were interred Sunday afternoon. It is our understanding that the deceased was a victim of brain trouble.

Stapp Bros' sale last Friday drew a large crowd. All the horses were sold but three. They brought fair prices.

Entertained.

Miss Annie Dixon entertained the Sewing Club last Saturday afternoon. Those invited were: Mesdames Bruce Montgomery and George Lowe, Misses Lorena Harrison, Dimple Conover, Myrtle Myers, Francis Jones, Martha Hancock, Lina Rosenthal, Madge Rosenthal, Edna Lewis, Laura Horford, Ruth Summers, Bess Rowe, Mary Cartwright, Mable Jasper, Alice Walker, Jennie McFarland, Misses Gibbs and Hancock. After bringing out their beautiful work for a time, refreshments were served, and another hour was spent in delightful conversation.

Jeff Jones an old and well respected colored man in his section died Sunday night at his home, near Crocus. He was near seventy years old.

Born, to the wife of J. O. Grissom, the 27th, a daughter.

FOXES WANTED.

Red and Grey Foxes..... \$2.50 to \$3.00
Squirrels..... 25 to 50
Cottontails..... 75 to 1.50
And Express.....
W. T. HODGEN,
Box 232
Campbellsville, Ky.

Public Debate.

The first public debate of the school term between the C. D. S., and the F. L. S., debating societies, will be held at the L. W. T. S. Saturday evening, March 5, 1910. The O. F. L. girls society will supplement the entertainment with some very interesting parts of the program.

PROGRAM
Joe Mistis John Trotwood Moore
Zella Francis Kelly
Journal Gertrude Gabbert,
Valse-Arabeque Theodore Locke
Annie Newell Hodges.

DEBATE
Subjects—Resolved, That the death penalty should be abolished.
Affirmative Negative
M. R. Gabbert, D. H. Lyon,
Fred Rainwater, Eugene Hawk,
The Flatterer Chalmade.

Eryan Grant Howard.
Marvin Perryman [P. L. S.
J. W. Napier] [C. D. S.
J. W. Nelson]
Miss Ada Bridgewater [O. F. L.
Miss Mary Miller]
Committee on Program.

Preaching Next Sunday.

W. H. C. Sandidge, Greensburg.
F. J. Barger, Shiloh.
Z. T. Williams, Cane Valley.
J. R. Crawford, Union.
J. A. Johnson, Tackett's chapel.
J. H. Hood, Milltown.
J. F. Turner, West Fork.
W. L. Levi, Greasy Creek.
B. M. Currie, Columbia.
W. B. Cave, Bethelham.

Closing Out!

From now until further notice, we will offer our entire stock of Merchandise at reduced prices in many instances less than cost.

In view of the fact that we will be asked many questions in regard to our reasons, etc., will say that we are at present undecided what our future course will be, but to any one wishing to go into the goods business we will close out at any time, our entire stock, including house and lot, fixtures, etc.

This is a good stand and we have done a good business during the last seven years we have been here, which we owe largely to our many friends who have stood by us all along, to whom we extend a special invitation, to call and see the many bargains we are going to offer.

All goods we sell from now on, will be for cash or produce, or to parties that will pay up when we call on them, and to others who secure us in some way. So come on and get your share of these bargain goods.

17-4t Very Respectfully,
Neil & Neil, Grayville, Ky.

I want to sell my house and lot. It is a new dwelling, 6 rooms. Outbuildings all new, a desirable place to live. One acre of ground.

Mrs. Susan Montgomery.
17-1t Columbia, Ky.

Mr. Geo. W. Staples has been appointed an attendant at the Hopkinsville Asylum. He left for his place of duty Monday morning.

The Bassett Hardwood Lumber Co., is now ready to receive history logs or lumber at their mill in Columbia.

A letter from Longstreet was received this week unsigned. It went to the waste basket. We do not want an author's name for publication, but we must know the writer.

Death of a Former Resident.

On Tuesday, the 15th of February, Mrs. Margaret Daugherty, died at her late home, Vine Grove, Hardin county. She was a daughter of Caleb P. and Ann B. Turk and a sister of Mrs. Mary T. Harvey, of this place. When quite a young woman she was married in this town to Mr. Noble Daugherty, and soon after their marriage they took up their residence, near Loretto, Marion county where they lived happily together until last October when they removed to Vine Grove. Early in life she confessed her Savior, united with the Cumberland Presbyterian church, and lived a consistent Christian until the final dissolution. After removing to Marion county she united with the Methodist church, there being no Cumberland Presbyterian organization in her community. She was a devoted church worker and reared her children in the fear and admonition of the Lord. She was about 66 years old when the end came which was a peaceful and happy ending of a long life. She leaves a husband, and three sons, two sisters, Mrs. Mary T. Harvey, of this place, Mrs. Mattie Van Cleave, of Louisville, and one brother, Mr. John W. Turk, of Red River county, Texas. Peace to her memory, sympathy for the surviving husband and children, sisters and brother.

We are now on the market for Hickory timber, either in the log on our yard or we will buy it on the stump.

The Bassett Hardwood Lumber Co. 17-4t Columbia, Ky.

It was said of one of the best men of our generation, "Whenever he entered a room of any kind the conversation that was going on, and the discussion, immediately sprang up to a far higher level than it was before." And to this was added, "Men thought their best and spoke their best in his presence."

What worthier conversation could any man have? The only goodness that counts is the goodness which is of the daily habit and inner life of a man all ways does make itself felt. And here is the other side of the same noble influence, for influence which makes for good always casts out evil. "He habitually lived in an atmosphere in which every mean and unworthy thought was asphyxiated."

Residence Burned.

Last Wednesday morning about 5 o'clock, the fire alarm was sounded from the residence of Mr. E. L. Fesse, located on the street leading from the Campbellville pike to the Fair Grounds. A large number of people soon gathered at the scene, but not in time to save the building nor but a few articles of the household goods. Mr. Fesse and his wife were in the cook room, Mrs. Fesse preparing breakfast. They heard a roaring noise and upon investigating they discovered that the main part of their dwelling was in flames. Their children were asleep, but they were quickly roused, and then an effort was made to save household goods, but the fire was in such headway only a few articles could be taken out.

The fire originated from a defective flue in the family room, and in less than one hour the building was burned to the ground.

Mr. Fesse now contemplates his loss \$1,700 with \$850 insurance on the dwelling and contents. As soon as the loss is adjusted he will rebuild on the same site.

Do It Now.

The time for Spring work will soon be upon us when farmers will be rushing and will have but little time. During these days of enforced idleness, when mud or snow prevents more active work, is a good time to get ready. The gear and harness should be gone over and more farming utensils should be looked over; nuts tightened and missing bolts replaced. If new plow points are needed they should be procured now. A good coat of paint will add both to the looks and the lasting quality of many things and should not be forgotten. Chicken coops may be put together, grape vines and fruit trees trimmed and much other work be done now instead of at a later date when work is pressing and time more precious.

Mr. Roger Pemberton met us on the square last Friday and said: "I want to pay up and renew my father's (S. C. Pemberton, of Horse Cave.) subscription to the News. He thinks more of The Adair County News than any other paper he takes. In fact, I do not think he could do without it."

We frequently get a card from a subscriber who has paid, stating that the number on his paper has not been moved up. We have been too busy to change the numbers, but the proper credits have been entered on our books.

Seriously Stabbed.

Last Thursday night, Clyde Jones, who is a son-in-law of J. D. Abner, was badly stabbed by Jo A. Bryant. The difficulty occurred at Mr. Abner's home where a pie supper was in progress. It is our understanding that the two men got into a dispute over the sale of a pie. Dr. W. R. Grissom was called and attended the wounded man. Jones was married about two weeks ago. The facts will be brought out at the examining trial.

Allen.

On the 18th of February, Mrs. Leslie Allen died in an infirmary at Birmingham, Ala. Her home was at Bessemer, Ala., and was conveyed to Birmingham where she submitted to an operation, dying under the knife. She was a very excellent lady, her husband being a native of this county, a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Allen. Mrs. Allen was a devoted member of the Methodist Church, and was only 20 or 21 years of age. The sympathy of the husband's many friends in Adair county is extended.

Rhode Island Red eggs for sale, 15 for sixty cents, delivered at Columbia or Kincy, by mail carrier. If you want them send in your order and tell what day.

Mrs. J. B. Grant,
Abner, Ky.

Felix Simmons, of Russell county, and Miss Laura Conover, whose home was near Roy, this county, eloped to Tennessee on the night of Washington's birthday where they were married the following evening. They were expected to return last Friday night. Melburn G. Scholl, of Ozark, conveyed the couple to and from Tennessee.

There is no doubt as to the death of Sam C. Lawrence, of Sand Lick fame. Mr. E. V. Miller, who lives at Crocus, sold and delivered the coffin and also saw the body. We understand that an inquest was held and that the jury decided that he was thrown from his horse and killed.

For Sale.

Black Jack 7 years old, 14 hands, proven breeder. Bay Stallion 5 years old 14 hands, good breeder. Cause for selling, I have gone into merchandise business.

Russell Springs, Ky.

Stults Bros. & Co., have sold their saw outfit to Sandusky & Co., for \$1,000.

A large crowd attended Stapp Bros' sale last Friday and everything sold fairly well.

W. T. Hodgen Advertiser for wild animals in to-day's News. He offers good prices.

We can furnish the Louisville Daily Herald and Adair County News one year each for \$3.25.

Mr. L. T. Neat is now doing special work in the revenue service, and is located at Gethsemane.

LOUISVILLE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations on Live Stock

CATTLE	
Shipping steer.....	\$5.00(25.50)
Beef steers.....	4.00(2.40)
Fat heifers and cows.....	3.25(3.75)
Cotters.....	3.25(3.75)
Canners.....	1.00(2.25)
Feeders.....	2.75(3.25)
Bulls.....	2.75(3.25)
Stockers.....	3.50(4.00)
Choice milk cows.....	35.00-45.00
Common to fair do.....	10.00-20.00
HOGS	
Choice 160 to 200.....	9.50
Medium, 130 to 165.....	9.35-9.50
Pigs.....	8.25(8.85)
Roughs.....	9.20
SHEEP AND LAMBS	
Best lambs.....	5.75-6.75
Common to fair do.....	3.00(2.40)
Fat sheep.....	3.50-4.25
Columbia Market.	
POULTRY.	
Eggs.....	17
Trucks.....	10
Chickens.....	14
Ducks.....	8
GRAIN.	
Wheat.....	1.25
Corn.....	.80

Joe E. Johnston began receiving pooled tobacco yesterday at Allen Walker's barn on Greensburg street. Errand polers are requested to deliver their tobacco first.

Mr. E. A. McKinley will grind for all who wish every Saturday, at his mill near Craycraft.

For the Home Seamstress.

Buttons and button holes are the best fastenings for childrens clothes, and all but garments, as hooks and eyes, besides pulling off sooner, will flatten in the ironing, and may make rust stains on the material. Button holes must be cut straight with the thread of the cloth, and buttonhole twist or coarse thread must be used. Working with a double thread is not to be commended.

For the children's play dresses or rompers, the closing at the back should be made placket fashion, as this is not likely to tear out. Sew a straight strip of material about an inch and a quarter wide, and the length of the opening, to the wrong side of the dress at the line of closing, turn over on itself, turn in the edge and stitch. Fold this strip back and make a buttonhole through the strip and the material of the dress at the neck, placing another at about yoke depth as well.

Where lace edging is applied to berthas or ruffles, it should be put on by hand, whipping it on to a folded edge that is hemmed; in some cases the edge is rolled, an inch or two at a time, and the lace then whipped on. When the lace is to be slightly gathered, the thread which is to be found at the top of the lace may be used as a gathering string and pulled as desired. The lace is held to the right side of the material, the edge of the material rolled on the wrong side, and then both of them whipped together with fine thread and stitches.

Feather-stitched seam covering is particularly useful for children's clothes, as it can be bought in various grades and may be used on all cotton materials.

If a skirt is straight, several tucks should be allowed, one or two inches wide, near the lower edge. These tucks are economical, as well as pretty, as they may be let down to lengthen the skirt.

Good Old Days.

How would you like to return to the Good Old Days before the bill collector was turned loose upon an unprotected public.

Before people knew that their hats had concealed within their anatomies that dreadful and worthless piece of machinery known as the vermiform appendix?

When every doctor had his "saddle bags" with him, and no matter what the trouble was he gave you calomel and quinine, and it always cured you?

Before we were notified on every hand that countless thousands of death-dealing microbes lurked in everything from love's first honeyed kiss to skillet of fried onions?

Before it became stylish to sleep away the long winter nights on a hard, thin mattress between two cold sheets?

When eggs were so cheap that your wife didn't hoard them up and rush them off to market, without leaving even enough for an occasional eggnog?

When boys wore red-topped, brassy boots, and girls dressed in plain dresses and wore their hair plaited down their backs without a suggestion of spit curls, rats and psyche knots?

When everybody used the same kind of "cologne?"

When an invitation to a wedding and the "infair" didn't have to be responded to with a cut-glass punch bowl, when in all probability the very same day you sent the aforesaid punch bowl you were forced to drink butter-milk out of a stone china coffee cup?

When there were no telephones by which your wife could order a lot of trash that she did not need, and could notify you to come home before you had scarcely struck the club or the corner grocery?

When a girl could make up her bed and sweep her room without having a well defined case of "nervous prostration?"

When a boy could split a little kindling and carry in two buckets of coal without having a pain in his side or the headache?

When mother could get six children off in time for school, do all the household work, take a lot of good things to several sick neighbors and not have to be sent annually to her hospital for repairs?

When mothers looked after their babies instead of the pet dog?

When men settled their difficulties by appealing to their neighbors or with bare fists, instead of with Winchester and in the court-rooms?

When a man could take a little wine for his stomach's sake without going home drunk and beating up his wife and terrorizing the children generally?

When you didn't have to sell a good horse to buy your wife a hat, and to buy her a coat suit?

When a woman's evening dress came as high up as it did low down?

When a boy at Christmas time was satisfied with a package of fire crackers and three hog bladders, and a girl was delighted with a china doll and a candy sheep?

Before kids learned to write a letter to Santa Claus, asking for wagons, guns, pistols, dolls, buggies, doll beds, trains, automobiles, candy, oranges, bananas, nuts, wearing apparel of every description and cart and live pony?

When we used candles and tallow dip and didn't have to pay tribute to the Standard Oil Co.?

When boys spoke of their parents as "father" and "mother" instead of "the old lady" and "the governor?"

When children were taught to obey their parents rather than parents made to obey the child?

When shoes were fitted to the feet and not feet fitted to shoes?

When everybody worked, including father?

When women's shoe heels were really where they ought to be and not stuck in the shoe at an angle of 45 degrees?

How would you like to return to the Good Old Days when folks went to church to take part in the services and not to see how many pretty fixings they could put on and see what other folks wore?

When folks went home from church and discussed the good points in the sermon rather than cuss the minister for not being more entertaining and for preaching more than thirty minutes?—Ex

Hon. Ben Johnson.

The most prominent candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Kentucky now being mentioned is Hon. Ben Johnson, of Nelson county. Mr. Johnson is now serving his third or fourth term in Congress and is recognized as one of the leading Democrats in the House. He is a man of high character, and has had a wonderful successful career in public life. He has served his people faithfully in many positions—as Speaker of the Kentucky House of Representatives, as State Senator, as Collector of Internal Revenue, of the Louisville district, as Secretary of the Campaign Committee and as mentioned above, as Congressman. As an organizer and a campaign manager he is not excelled by any one. He is being attacked as a whisky man, but the fact remains that he never tasted intoxicating liquor in his life, and there is not enough money in the world to get him to take a drink. He is one of the largest land-owners in Nelson county, one of the most successful farmers in the State, and surly these things ought to be considered by those Democrats looking for a winner. We want it distinctly understood that we are not advocating Mr. Johnson's claims to the nomination, but we do think the people are entitled to know the truth about this able man and faithful Democrat—Carlisle Mercury.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.
J. H. Young & Co., Plaintiff,
Mary Jones & Co., Defendant.
By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, for the sums of five debts amounting with their interest to \$236.68, and 62.50 cents hereon, I shall proceed to offer for sale at Court-house door in Columbia Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, 7th day of March, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit of six months, the following described property to-wit: Three certain tracts of land lying on Green River in Adair county, Ky., and known as the Rufus Jones farm. Two tracts contain 20 acres each and the other contains 50 acres. The Judgment and order of sale is referred to for complete description and boundary.

The two 20 acre tracts will be offered in one lot and the 50 acre tract in another, and then all three together, and the sale or sales, from which the most money will be realized, the bid or bids will be accepted.

For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Fine Jerseys.

One hundred and sixty-five of the finest Jersey cattle that can be bought in England are now en route to this country from England for Elmdorf farm in Fayette county. There are five bulls and one hundred and sixty-five cows and heifers in the herd and with the arrival of those Elmdorf will have in round numbers five hundred fine Jersey cattle. All the cattle now being brought over were selected especially for Elmdorf by Dr. William Geddis, who has represented the United States Government abroad in that branch of the Department of Agriculture for the past fourteen years. Thirty of the cattle are from the famous herd of Lord Rothschild, and all of them are of the very cream of the English herds.

The Point of View.

William had just returned from college, resplendent in peg-top trousers, silk hosiery, a fancy waistcoat, and a necktie that spoke for itself. He entered the library where his father was reading. The old gentleman looked up and surveyed his son. The longer he looked, the more disgusted he became.

"Son," he finally blurted out, "you look like a d— fool!"
Later, the old major who lived next door came in and greeted the boy heartily. "William," he said, with undisguised admiration, "you look exactly like your father did twenty years ago when he came back from school!"
"Yes," replied William, with a smile, "so father was just telling me."—Everybody's.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.
L. F. Hadley & Eliza Hadley Piff.,
Heirs of Little Jane Chapman Deft.,
By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Jan. Term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 7th day of March 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit six months, the following described property to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair County Ky., on the waters of Sulphurfork of Russell Creek and bounded as follows, viz. On the North by the land of said Allen, on the East by the land of Ed Ripney, and on the West by the lands of Martin Redmon, and being the same lands conveyed by William Haskins to Morg Hadley, and contains 80 acres more or less.

For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Money in Poultry.

Did you ever stop to consider the vast amount of money represented by fancy poultry throughout the United States? For instance take the Chicago show with 3,200 birds, the Missouri State show with 5,281 birds, and the Oklahoma State show with 3,200 birds, all held at about the same time. Place an estimate on their value, which it is the safe to say would be at least \$200.00 per head, or the vast sum of \$233,620.00. Then think of the number of birds which these breeders have in their yards at home and the value that they represent, and then think of the thousands and thousands of breeders that did not exhibit at either of these three shows and the value of the birds owned by them. Do this and then let any one tell you there is no money in fancy poultry. Well, we will be surprised at you if you do.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.
Strong Hill, Plaintiff,
W. R. Compton & J. B. Napier, Deft.
By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, for the sum of \$30, with interest from the 16th day of Oct 1909 against W. R. Compton and two debts of \$20 each against J. B. Napier, with the interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum from the 30th day of October, 1909 until paid, and \$29.75 cents hereon, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 7th day of March, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit six months, the following described property to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair county, Ky., upon the waters of Big Creek and bounded as follows: Beginning at a black oak on the bank of Big Creek, thence running an eastern direction with Curr Keltner to W. L. Gra-

dy's line, thence running a northern direction with Grady's line to J. G. Sexton's line, thence running the same direction with said Sexton's line to a stone in the head of a hollow in Sexton's line, thence running down said hollow to Big Creek, thence up Big Creek to the beginning.

For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

While the winter has been colder than for many years there has not yet occurred a sharp dip such as may cause a disaster to fruit. Some slight damage of course has been done, but no general killing of the main crops is feared. There is more danger that the sleet will damage the trees by breaking the limbs and twigs.

Some people are like a sore finger at a ball game—they are always getting hurt, and going about with a bloody rag tied around their feelings.

A Missouri man has been put in jail for marrying his thirteenth wife. We believe the most appropriate place for him would have been the asylum.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.
S. V. Wilkerson, Piff.,
S. K. Byba & Co., Deft.,
In Equity,
against
A. Bennett for the benefit of T. R. Stults, Piff., against W. O. Byba & Co., Deft's.
By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, for the sum of \$275.00 with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 3rd day of March 1908, until paid, and \$35.00, S. V. Wilkerson's cost, and also the further sum of \$225.00 with interest thereon at 6 per cent per annum from the 3rd day of October 1900 until paid, subject to a credit of \$25.00 paid October 30th, 1902. And the further sum of \$2.75 with interest thereon at 6 per cent per annum from the 3rd day of October 1900, until paid, and \$31.55, costs of T. R. Stults in the case of A. A. Bennett against W. O. Byba & Co.

I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 7th day of March, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair county, Kentucky, on the waters of Glenfork, and is bounded as follows:

Beginning at a gum and poplar, corner to Geo. Backs, thence West 25 poles to a white oak corner to Z. L. Samuels, thence with his line S. 10 poles to a stone Samuels corner; thence with a line of same W. 25 poles to a stone corner to Samuels; thence with another line of same S. 96 poles to a dogwood and sourwood in W. B. Wilkerson's line; thence with his line E. 53 poles to small dogwoods in Hadley's line; thence with his line N. 65 E. 79 poles to two ash trees; thence N. 14 W. 17 poles to two white oaks, thence N. 27 W. 11 poles and 13 links to two dogwoods; thence N. 134 W. 15 poles to a stone, with a mulberry, pointer on a branch; thence N. 65 E. 29 poles and 3 links to a stone in a field; thence N. 7 E. 81 poles to a stone; thence W. 92 poles to a stone in said Backs line S. 3 W. 73 poles to the beginning.

The undivided one-half interest in the above described lands of Benjamin F. Byba and the life estate of S. K. Byba in said undivided interest will be sold to satisfy the debt interest and costs of the said T. R. Stults, but should there be a remainder of the interest of W. O. Byba, or the life estate of S. K. Byba in said interest after the payment of said Stults debts, interest and costs, and if said Benjamin F. Byba's interest and S. K. Byba's life estate therein, has failed to sell for enough to satisfy said Wilkerson debt interest and costs, then the said remainder of the interest of W. O. Byba will be sold to satisfy said Stults debt interest and costs, or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders must comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT.

Columbia District, Second Round

The following make up President Elder Hulse appointments for the Columbia District, going over the territory for the second time. It is requested that the membership keep these appointments before it and attend the meetings:

Columbia and Tabor, Columbia, March 5-6.

Cane Valley, Cane Valley, March 6-7.

Gradyville, March 12-13.

West Tompkinsville, March 19-20.

Tompkinsville, March 22-23.

Temple Hill, March 26-27.

T. L. Hulse, P. E.

Clean Your Premises.

To the people of Adair County:
The time has come now, when we ought to look after the conditions of our premises, and see that everything is in good sanitary condition. Look into the condition of the cellars, the privies and everything that is in an unclean condition. It is a great deal easier to prevent disease, than it is to cure it when it comes. I want especially the doctors to notify me of any contagious or epidemic disease that they may find in the bounds of their practice. While I am at all times ready to obey any calls that I may receive from the doctor, I cannot know, unless I am notified, I am not a mind reader, and I never have professed to be. And it is the duty of not only the doctors, but the duty of the head of families to give me information along these lines. I have been trying to fumigate every house where a consumptive has died, but frequently a notice in the County paper is the first intimation that I have of the death of a consumptive. The physicians ought to be more particular about these important things. I want information about all these diseases, whether the cases have died or recovered.

Consumption, typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, whooping cough, measles, and cholera, infantum. I did a great deal of work along these lines last year, but I want to do more this year, if the epidemics require it. Let every body be ready to fight the pestiferous fly when it makes its appearance. All the houses ought to be screened, and especially where any body is sick. A hint to the wife ought to be sufficient.

U. L. Taylor, Health Officer.

Adair County.

Mayor Clarence E. Woods, of Richmond, is urging the editors and many prominent people in Kentucky to use their influence to secure the passage of a non-partisan uniform account law, and providing for state inspectors. The law would apply to all state, city and county officers, and would be the means of saving thousands of dollars of the public funds. The people need to know more of the doings of their public servants and this law should pass without a dissenting voice. The state should provide for inspectors and also have accounts of all public officials published that the people might know what becomes of their money.

Dirigo.

There is still evidence here that winter is not yet over.

Misses Ellen and Osa Epperson visited their sisters, Mrs. R. L. Campbell here a few days last week.

W. J. Bean done some business on Marrowbone last week.

Bob Allen and J. D. Walker, the Gradyville tobacco men were here a few days ago and bought several crops of dark tobacco at \$4 and \$7 per hundred.

On account of rain, Z. T. Bennett, our mail carrier got scared at the creek and J. J. England had to go instead.

Born, to the wife of Mose Wooten, on the 15th, a son.

Miss Stella Shearer, of Russell county, and master Wallace Bennett, of Fairplay, are visiting at J. W. McClellers this week.

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Stopped his Paper.

Little Helps.

A gentleman who has been taking the Herald for ten years came into the office Saturday and discontinued it. Knowing he had a grievance, we did not gratify him by asking him his reasons for stopping the paper, but removed the slip bearing his name from our subscription book without a word. At this he seemed much disappointed and told us why he was having his name removed. He said that the paper contained too many advertisements. Two weeks ago the Herald contained 27 columns of reading matter, last week 26 columns and about averages the latter figure the year around. At this rate the paper contains, for the year, 1,352 columns, which at a dollar per year would cost this gentleman about one-fourteenth part of a cent per column for his reading matter, to say nothing of the bargains offered to him through the advertising columns of the paper, many of which he takes advantage of. He had hardly gotten out of the office when another gentleman, with a benign smile on his ruddy cheek and possessing less than half the worldly goods of the other, stepped in and paid for the past and the ensuing year, saying that in reading the advertisements in the last issue, he had made or saved about twenty dollars. Without the merchants and other advertisers, there would be no newspapers and, consequently, no Herald. We hesitate even to think what a calamity that would be to our beloved county. We can well afford to spare this choleric complainer rather than contribute to the great calamity.

—Harrodsburg Herald.

Save all the paper bags, and if you do not have enough, use the loose newspapers; fill these with the fine coal or chips. When fuel is to be added to the fire, drop the bag or parcel on the burning coals, and none will be scattered, no noise will be made, and the stove door can be kept open a little time. Learn to save the "littles."

Before attempting a piece of sewing, pour gasoline about the working part of the machine, just as you would oil it; then run it a few seconds leaving it unthreaded; then wipe off all dirt that shows up, clean with a soft, clean cloth, and oil with the oil you can get. See that you have the oil made purposely for the sewing machine.

To color carpet rugs with coppers, make a strong copperas dye; they, in another kettle make a strong solution of lye. Have the rugs clean dip the rugs first in copperas water, drain them, dip in the lye, drain; continue to dip alternately back and forth from one dip to the other until the desired shade is obtained. Let dry, and wash thoroughly.

Cloth that has become shiny may be restored to its former appearance by being rubbed with turpentine. Use very little turpentine, and rub the cloth very hard, going over and finishing a small portion at a time. The smell will soon evaporate by exposure to the air. A weak solution of ammonia will have the same effect, but it is apt to turn the cloth brown.

To remove scorched places from linen, take half a pint of vinegar, the juice of one large onion and two ounces of Fuller's

earth. Boil for five minutes, strain and cool. Rub the spots with a rag moistened with the liquid making several applications.—Ex.

How Good News Spreads.

"I am 70 years old and travel most of the time," writes B. P. Tolson, of Elizabethtown, Ky. "Everywhere I go I recommend Electric Bitters, because I owe my excellent health and vitality to them. They effect a cure every time." They never fail to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate the nerves and purify the blood. They work wonders for weak, run-down men and women, restoring strength, vigor and health that is a daily joy. Try them. Only one, Satisfaction is positively guaranteed by Paul Drug Co.

Good Enough for Any Body.

The Ten Business Commandments, as outlined by the Interstate Sand Company, Cleveland:

1. Thou shalt not wait for something to turn up, but shalt pull off thy coat, and go to work that thou mayest prosper in thy affairs and make the work "failure" spell "success."

2. Thou shalt not be content to go about thy business looking like a bum, for thou shouldst know that thy personal appearance is better than a letter of recommendation.

3. Thou shalt not try to make excuses, nor shalt thou say to those who chide thee, "I didn't think."

4. Thou shalt not wait to be told what thou shalt do, nor in what manner thou shalt do it, for thus may thy days be long in the job which fortune hath given thee.

5. Thou shalt not fail to maintain thine own integrity, nor shalt thou be guilty of anything that will less thy good respect for thyself.

6. Thou shalt not covet the other fellow's job nor his salary, nor the position which he hath gained by his own hard labor.

7. Thou shalt not fail to live within thy income, nor shalt thou contract any debts when thou canst not see thy way clear to pay them.

8. Thou shalt not fail to blow thine own horn, for he who is afraid to blow his own horn at the proper occasion findeth nobody standing ready to blow it for him.

9. Thou shalt not hesitate to say "No," when thou meanest "No," nor shalt thou fail to remember that there are occasions when it is unsafe to bind thyself to hasty judgment.

10. Thou shalt give every man a square deal. This is the last and great commandment, and there is no other like unto it. Upon this commandment dependeth all the law and the profits of the business world.—Ex

An Awful Eruption.

Of a volcano excites brief interest, and your interest in skin eruptions will be as short, if you use Bucklen's Arnica Salve, their quickest cure. Even the worst boils, ulcers, or fever sores are soon healed by it. Beat for Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Sore Lips, Chapped Hands, Chilblains and Piles. It gives instant relief. 25c at Paul Drug Co.

When a man gets mad about some imaginary attack on his religion, he puts his religion, behind him and serves God with his fists.

Big hearted people love the faint hearted and discouraged souls. The narrow hearted are always looking for heroes to worship.

A bumblebee in the bush is better than two in the hand.

The Key Under the Door.

"It is customary for the back door key to be put halfway under the door so that I can reach it when coming off duty late at night," remarked an artist to a London T.P.-Hills writer. "The other morning at breakfast my landlady said to me, 'You know, had an awful fright last night. I put the key halfway under the door, as usual, when, to my horror, I saw it drawn slowly out of sight. I of course thought some one had got the key and would unlock the door and come in, so I got up and looked through the keyhole. 'My word, if you don't bring that key back!' Not daring to retire to rest, I sat quietly listening for a time. Then I got a table knife and pried it under the door to see if the key had really been taken right away and to my surprise drew the key back again. So, very cautiously, I unlocked and unlocked the door, looked out and found not a burglar, but our own wicked cat, who, while sitting on the doorstep and seeing the key pushed under the door, must have drawn the key out of sight with her paws, thinking I was playing with her.'"

An American Joke From England.

The typical American, says a contributor to the English Illustrated Magazine, although partial to making jokes, is often quick tempered and unable to recognize a joke made by another, with results that are sometimes unpleasant.

Thus, a senator was once at a fashionable dinner party at Washington when he asked what fish he would take.

"Waal," he said, "I reckon I'll take plain."

A wit who chanced to be present remarked with a twinkle in his eye.

"Ah, senator, still a place seeker?"

"Yes," answered the senator, at the same time whipping out a revolver and shooting the wit dead. "But what's that to you, you dern'd stranger?"

Afterward, when the joke was explained to him, the senator confessed that he had acted rather hastily, and to show that he bore no grudge he went to the funeral of the inopportune wit.

A Queen Elizabeth Joke.

Queen Elizabeth liked her jokes, and although her pleasantries were of a less sanguinary turn than her father's, she must have been even more formidable than usual when disposed to be frolicsome. A tale may be found in one of Lord Essex's letters with regard to a new dress belonging to one of her maids of honor, over the possession of which the other had been rash enough to exhibit some elation.

The young lady, it seemed, was seven inches taller than her majesty, hardly perhaps quite a nice or loyal thing to do. Having decided that the dress should be made over to her custody, the queen, first carefully selecting an extremely wet day, was pleased to put on and trail it for yards behind her in the mud, the owner of the humiliating garment having to appear as delighted with the royal fun and commendation as the rest of the lookers on.

London Teller.

And All With Company There.

"Now, children," said the mother as a young lady, it seemed, was seven inches taller than her majesty, hardly perhaps quite a nice or loyal thing to do. Having decided that the dress should be made over to her custody, the queen, first carefully selecting an extremely wet day, was pleased to put on and trail it for yards behind her in the mud, the owner of the humiliating garment having to appear as delighted with the royal fun and commendation as the rest of the lookers on.

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London Teller.

Truth makes men free, because freedom is the truth of social and political equity. The man who feels better than his neighbor is lying to himself.

Stubborn As Mules.

Are liver and bowels sometimes; seem to balk without cause. Then there's trouble—Loss of Appetite—Indigestion, Nervousness, Despondency, Headache. But such troubles fly before Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best stomach and liver remedy. So easy, 25c at Paul Drug Co.

Some of us forget one thing while learning another thing. The strong mind remembers them all, and is a storehouse of wisdom.

To love a woman for her wealth is like loving a dog for the nice rug his hide will make later on.

Constipation Cure Free

With the first signs of constipation you resort to the home methods of relief, such as hot or cold water on arising, lots of stewed fruit with your breakfast, etc., but what do you do when these fail?

The majority then start on salts and purgative waters, then change to cathartic pills, etc. If you have gone through these various stages you know they were all failures, so far as permanent results go. Now you should try just once again, but try a more practical and sensible remedy made and intended for the purpose you are trying to accomplish. Such a remedy, as thousands can testify, is Dr. Caldwell's Great Peppermint Cure.

It is guaranteed to be permanent in its results. The ingredients are such that by brief use of it the stomach and bowel movements are trained to their normal work, so that in the end you can do away with medicines of all kinds. That it will do this Mr. C. V. Dodson of Louisville, Ky., can testify.

To those who are still skeptical there is a way to prove these assertions without a penny of expense. Simply send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell and obtain a free sample bottle. After using it, if you are then convinced it is the remedy you need, buy a five cent bottle of the dollar bottle of your druggist and continue to use it until cured.

The directions are simple and the dose is small. It is pleasant to the taste, does not grip and is prompt to its work. Your druggist's are guaranteed or money will be refunded.

This remedy is over a quarter of a century old and is personally known by more druggists than any other similar remedy in the American market. Because of its effectiveness, purity and pleasant taste it is the favorite remedy for children, women and old folks generally.

Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire. For the free sample bottle, send your name and address on a postal card or otherwise, to Dr. Caldwell, 1250 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

Program of Adair Medical Society.

The Adair County Medical Society will meet in Columbia, Thursday March 10th, 1910, with the following program: Puerperal fever, Arthur Waggener. Early signs of pregnancy, C. M. Russell.

Russell County Medical Society, T. L. Taylor. Hungberrery in the Medical profession, E. T. Sallee.

Signs of the times in medicine, W. F. Cartwright. Medical Legislation, L. C. Nell. Chronic catarrhs, W. R. Griesom. Tuberculosis or consumption, J. C. Gose.

Medical societies, William Blair. Why attend medical societies, S. A. Taylor.

The treatment of Typhoid Fever, J. T. Hammond. Let each one prepare himself on these subjects, so as to have a pleasant and profitable meeting.

W. R. Griesom, W. F. Cartwright, Committee. U. L. Taylor.

Tea importations into the United States have ranged from \$9,000,000 to \$18,000,000 a year.

Notice.

On Monday the 7th day of March, 1910, we will offer for sale at the court-house door in Columbia, Ky., at or about 1 o'clock p. m., on a credit of six months, to the highest and best bidder, the Brick school house and lot known as the Public School property in West Columbia School District. This property is part of lot No. 21, as designated on the plan and map of the Town of Columbia, Ky., and is the same property conveyed to Trustees of School District No. 74, by deed from Salie Field, etc., deed recorded in deed book No. 8, page 342 of the Adair County Court Clerk's Office. The purchaser of this property will be required to execute bond with approved surety for the purchase price bearing 6 per cent interest with a lien retained on all property. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. There is upon this lot an ordinary size brick building which can be easily converted into a dwelling. This property is well located in a good neighborhood and is very desirable property.

M. Cravens, Chairman of Board of Trustees of Columbia Graded Common School.

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Commissioner's Sale. ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY

T. H. Cud & Co., Plaintiff, J. Jimmie Cud & Co., Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1910, in the above case, and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 7th day of March, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being Court day) upon a credit six months, the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land situated near the town of Columbia, Ky., bounded on the east by the Columbia and Campbellsville Turn Pike; on the north by the lands of J. H. Young and J. J. Biggs; on the west by the lands of J. J. Biggs and S. D. Barber; and on the south by the lands of J. J. Biggs and contains 38 acres more or less, and is the same lands which were conveyed to James H. Cud by the Master Commissioner of the Adair Circuit Court, less a portion of same which was conveyed by said Cud to Mary Smythe and 2 acres which were conveyed to J. J. Biggs by Bettie Tappan, etc.

For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these conditions.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Just received, a nice line of candies from D. Auerbach & Sons, of New York. Call on us. Young Bros.

I will on Monday March 7, 1910, at the court-house door in Columbia, Ky., sell at Public auction to the highest bidder, about 189 acres of land lying on the waters of Green river, near Ella, post-office, which is known as the Sarah Gadsberry land, and belonged to J. S. Stapp, at the time of his death. Terms of sale will be made known on day of sale. Jas. Garnett, Executor, 16-2 of J. S. Stapp.

I have a surry, good as new, one bug rug, comparatively new, also a good set of double and single harness which I will sell privately at a bargain.

R. P. Browning, Columbia, Ky.

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It isn't the knocker who gains admission to our confidence.

A WISE OLD OWL

Lived in an Oak

The more He heard, the less He spoke.

The less He spoke, the more He heard.

MORAL--

Be quiet; just listen to the noise the People are making in all this Green River country over the LOW PRICES on High Quality and Immense Stocks to select from

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The old adage, "distance lends enchantment" has been proven so often and in so many ways that there can scarcely be a doubt as to its correctness. In this section we have felt its force for many years and still many of the people are looking to the distant countries for the gratification of their hopes and desires. Every year many of our worthy citizens leave for a western paradise, as they imagine, and when that country has been reached they find the good and bad intermingled, the advantages and disadvantages—a place that extreme effort backed by good judgment, brings good results just like the place they left in this section. Too many fail to see the many advantages that have ever been open to them at the old home. They fail to appreciate the good that surrounds them, the blessings so common that they are overlooked until missed. In the distance, in the broad fields of the west, they see expanding opportunities, beautiful harvests, fine markets—a chance to become wealthy on short notice, but they fail to see the blizzards, the hot winds that cook vegetation, sand storms and disappointments. The glowing descriptions of that country, given by professional land sellers and

transportation companies, blind many to the great possibilities that surround them in the Old Kentucky Home, where health, wealth and happiness are within as easy reach as the average country possesses. Not discrediting the agencies at work in developing the resources of the western States and Territories, we believe too many of them fail to tell the whole story or to give the wet and dry side. The good is too often magnified and exploited while the disagreeable is untold and the enchantment gets in its work. That there are richer fields of agricultural lands than this section affords need not be disputed, but in many respects we have our part of the desirable features that enter into life's struggles and produce the best results. Southern Kentucky, and Adair county in particular, lands produce abundantly and give good returns to intelligent industry. The climate is as good as any part of the land being in same latitude, while the drainage and pure fountains of water give health and happiness. The people are the old Kentucky kind—as good as earth possesses and as true to home and country as the needle to the pole. With a fair part of everything that is good, and as little of the disagreeable as any other section, we see no reasons why the average citizen should turn from the old home or fail to appreciate the many God given blessings so lavishly bestowed on our country. No season too wet, none too dry to cause serious alarm, enough made the worst years to keep the dinner pots overflowing. Not so in many of the new countries. It pours or parches—it's a bumper crop or a dwarf, an over abundance or failure—it's uncertain. To those who love adventure, who like to take chances, South-

ern Kentucky is not the place. To those who are industrious it offers ample reward with all the comforts of the average country. There is no reason to justify the unrest and desire of many to take chances, with their families in the uncertainties of the west by leaving one of the best States in the Union. The same efforts here as made in that section would produce wonderful results. We all need to stay, to work, to pull together and when thus we strive our section will bloom as the rose.

It begins to look like Ballanger will have to leave the Cabinet.

It is now believed that Governor Willson would not sign the Ripper bill.

The bill increasing the Circuit Judges salary to \$4,200 has passed both Houses of the Kentucky Legislature.

The County Unit bill has passed the House. An effort will now be made to bring it again before the Senate.

There is but little chance for the \$500,000 bond issue to pass during the present session of the Kentucky Legislature.

The Kentucky Legislature has fourteen more working days. But few bills have been passed up to the present.

Judge B. L. D. Guffey, who for years was prominent in Kentucky politics, and at one time on the Appellate bench, is dead at Morgantown.

The Crecelius law has been upheld by the Court of Appeals. The act provides a penalty for both the seller and the purchaser of tobacco which has been pooled.

Rowes X Roads.

There is a new boy at Ores Holt's. Ores himself is down sick again this week.

Isaac Wells is still on the sick list. He is old and feeble. He went through the war in Company G., 3rd Kentucky Infantry. He is 78 years old.

Eras Barger, of Columbia, was here at his uncle Bill Cook's this week on a visit for a few days.

Dudley Grider and Minnie Hale were married here last Saturday, the 20th inst.

Bomer Harvey and Nona Selby will be married here at Thomas Hadley's February 27th.

Mrs. Bill Wilburn and daughter, Miss Nellie, were visiting at Thomas Hadley's this week.

Fount Selby and T. D. Cump-ton have gone into the chicken business. They have 250 eggs setting at this time.

Miss Lete Wilburn, a neighbor girl here, ran away with a man by the name of John Mann to Tennessee and got married this week after which they went to his home in Simpson county, Ky. Mann only lived one week after they married. He died with heart trouble. Lete was a member of my Sunday School here and was a nice, smart girl and a member of the Oak Grove class of United Brethren in Christ. We as a church and Sunday School extend to her our heartfelt sympathy and pray God's best blessings on her in her sad hours of sorrow.

Thomas Hadley, Supt., Susie Hadley, Teacher. Old uncle Frank Hale died yesterday, February the 24th. He was an old soldier and had been down with rheumatism for years. Comrades the last roll call for us will soon be here and if you are not ready for the trip get ready for our time is short on earth.

Gadberry.

The health of this community is very good at present.

Wheat looks almost a failure at this place.

There has been but very little plowing done at this place.

Mr. Boss Loy and family were visiting Mr. J. A. Darnell and family one night last week.

Mr. Z. L. Bennett and little daughter, Dora, were visiting the family of J. G. Gadberry last Sunday.

Messrs. Robt. Loy, Z. L. Bennett, Silas Denny and Allen Morrison were in Columbia last Monday.

Mr. J. L. Darnell and family were visiting at Mr. R. T. Gadberry's last Monday.

Martin Frankum and Willie Bennett were visiting Hollis and Prather Morrison Saturday.

The singing at Mr. J. W. Pierce's last Tuesday night was largely attended and enjoyed by all present.

Eld F. J. Barger preached an interesting sermon at Smith's Chapel last Sunday.

Messrs. G. G. Morrison and Rollin Johnson were visiting the latter's brother, Mr. Ed Johnson, at Glensfork, Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Johnson and children were visiting at Mr. G. G. Morrison's last Sunday.

The social at Mr. John Young's last Saturday night was largely attended and enjoyed by all present.

Sano.

Owing to so much frozen weather the farmers of this community are making slow progress in preparing for their present crops. Experienced farmers say so much frozen weather is injurious to wheat.

Our merchant, Mr. T. W. Bryant, is doing a good business. The people like him and appreciate having him as a merchant.

Mr. Tom Barrett is aiming to start to Arkansas Monday which he means to make his future home. We wish him much luck. He has been a farmer of this community for a long time and will be missed much by the people.

The hucksters are canvassing the county in search of produce, paying 14 cents for chickens and 18 cents for eggs.

On account of bad roads there wasn't many attended court at Jamestown last week from this place. I understand Judge Carter fined several of the boys for loud talking in the court-house and some for not being present when called. I expect the Judge means business.

The farmers of this community are sowing lots of burley tobacco beds, contemplating putting out a considerable crop.

There are several crops of tobacco in this community for sale yet some being sold every few days.

Several of the young men from this neighborhood are going to other states to work this year as they can get better wages.

The hog buyers are buying every pig they can get. Hogs are scarcer in this community than I ever knew them.

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Just received, a nice line of candies from D. Auerbach & Sons, of New York. Call on us. Young Bros.

PERSONAL

Mr. J. F. Cabell, Miami, was here last Friday.

Mr. James Garnett is in Jamestown, professionally.

Mr. W. E. Eubank, Oberlin, Kansas, is visiting in Adair county.

Judge T. A. Marrell was in Louisville several days of last week.

Messrs. G. O. and H. S. Bassett have returned from Campbellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willcut left for their home in Missouri last Thursday.

Mr. C. M. Barnett, Louisville, spent several days of last week in Columbia.

Mr. Luther Taylor and Mr. W. R. Hoskins, Campbellsville, were here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Biggs, Coburg, gave this office a pleasant call last Wednesday.

Lynne, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jeffries, has been quite sick for several days.

Messrs. R. F. Rowe and R. T. Baker, Amandaville, were here to attend Stapp Bros. sale.

Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Milltown, visited Mrs. Mary Walker and Mrs. Emily Burton last week.

Mr. John A. Chapman and wife left Monday for Brookhams, Miss., to be absent two weeks.

Dr. S. D. Crenshaw was taken quite sick last Saturday night, but he is better at this writing.

Mr. J. F. Montgomery spent several days of last week, attending circuit court at Jamestown.

Dr. M. E. Jones, is in Indianapolis, Ind., taking a special course in veterinary surgery, etc.

Dr. J. H. Grady is spending a few months at his daughter, Mrs. S. A. McKay, Elizabethtown.

Miss Mildred Walker, Gradyville, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Bruce Montgomery.

Mr. C. S. Harris, who has been a victim of neuralgia for the past ten days, has greatly improved.

Mr. Frank Pennycoff and sister left here last week for the State of Oklahoma, their future home.

Mr. Mont Cravens, who has been confined to his room for the past two weeks, improves very slowly.

Fred McLean will leave Saturday for Liberty to assist the clerk of the Casey Circuit Court for the next month.

Miss Mollie Caldwell, who spent a week out of town, returned Saturday, and is now a saleslady in Russell & Co.'s store.

Mr. Roger Pemberton, Elizabethtown, and Mr. Owen Galtson, Campbellsville, were here and attended the Stapp Bros' sale.

Rev. B. M. Currie and Mr. E. B. Barger went to Lebanon on the 22nd, and received the Kingdom's Temporal degrees in Mr. on Commendry.

Mrs. Bettie Williams and two daughters, of Eunice, who have been visiting relatives in this city for several days, returned home Sunday.

Mr. Bob Grissom, who has been spending several weeks with his old friends and relatives in this county, will leave for his home in Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garnett went to Lebanon the first of last week. Mrs. Garnett entered the Elizabeth Infirmary where she expects to remain ten days.

Mr. R. P. Smith, merchant at Irvin's Store, Russell county, known to a great many Columbians, is in a very low state of health, a victim of pulmonary trouble.

Mrs. Belle Patterson and her daughter, Miss Mary Snow Patterson, left Jamestown a few days ago for Oklahoma where they will visit several months, then return to Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Russell, who were in the Cincinnati market for ten days, returned home last Thursday afternoon. As a result of their trip Russell & Co. are now receiving an immense stock of goods.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

G. A. Murray, Plaintiff, vs. Mont Murray & Co., Def'ts.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 7th day of March 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit six months, the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Russell creek, and bounded on the North by the lands of Perry Hutchison and Truette Shearer; and on the east by the lands of Rich Breeding and G. W. Dillon, and on the South by the lands of Adolphus

Todd and Adolphus Murray, and on the West by the lands of Perry Condit and Adolphus Murray, and known as the Henry Murray land, containing 82 acres. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

Board of Trustees of Columbia Graded Common School, Plaintiff, vs. Town of Columbia & Co., Def'ts.

In equity. By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of The Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the special April term thereof, 1909, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 7th day of March 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit of six months, the following described property to-wit: A certain lot of ground, situated in the Town of Columbia, and known on the Plan and map of said town as lot No. 34, containing one-half acre, and now designated as Common School house No. 1 of Adair County. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities must execute Bond bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders must comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

Lucinda Coomer & Co., Plaintiff, vs. Louisa Compton & Co., Def'ts.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., the 7th day of March 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit of six months, the following described property to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair county Ken-

tucky place got a considerable gash cut in his forehead last week. He was trying to drive some geese and passing over a rough place, hung his foot and fell his head striking a stone. It will be several days before he will be able for work.

Mrs. J. M. Fudge and her daughter Ethel, visited Mrs. Fudge mother, who lives on Red Lick last week.

Miss Fanie B. Rowe, visited her sister Mrs. Akins, at Sparksville, last week.

Mrs. Emma Rupe is on the sick list.

Mrs. Lizzie Rowe who has been confined to her room for several months is no better.

Little Zella Turner who has been confined to her bed with pneumonia fever is no better at this writing.

It won't be long if it stays fair until you can hear the sound of hand saws and hammers on the several houses that is going up in this section.

Mr. Elroy Rupe who lived in Barren county last year, moved back to his old neighborhood. It suits Elroy best.

Helm.

We are having some very pleasant weather at this writing.

Mr. Leon McClure caught a nice Otter 23rd. inst., which weighed 16 pounds.

Mrs. Mary Head, of Celina, Tenn., reached this place last Tuesday en route for mother's Mrs. J. Mayward, near Olga.

DONT BLAME THE HEN

When you get bad eggs for they were good when she laid them

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tucky pn Harrodsfork and bounded as follows: Beginning at a sугartree, thence N 15 E 123 poles to a Hickory, thence S 85 W 9 poles to two dogwoods, thence N. 29 W. 136 poles to a black gum and dogwood, thence S 62 E 32 poles to the beginning. Containing 19 acres, more or less.

For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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Casey Creek.

The health of this section is not very good at present.

Mrs. John Sandusky, who has been sick for some time, is reported better.

Mrs. W. C. Wolford, who is sick, is no better.

Mr. J. B. Grant passed through here last Friday.

Mrs. Ben Humphress was visiting at her father's, J. M. Wolford, last Thursday.

Mr. Will Hobson, the spoke man, of Dunnville, was here one day last week.

Mr. Roscoe Smith, of Dunnville, was here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. — Miller, a sewing machine agent, spent one night last week at G. L. Wolford's.

Wolford Bros. purchased quite a lot of hay in Lincoln county which they will bring to this place.

Mr. Owen Hendrickson purchased five hogs from Mr. Gabe Webb, price not known.

Miss Effie Stayton has returned home after a two weeks visit to her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Hardin, at Acton.

The oyster supper at Mr. Geo. White's Monday night was largely attended.

Mr. John Wolford bought a Jersey cow from Mr. Eugene Rice, of Campbellsville, for \$51.

Misses Allie and Elsie Tucker were visiting their aunt, Mrs. G. L. Wolford, one day last week.

The poultry house recently established at this place is doing a good business with Guy Lindsey as manager.

Mr. R. O. Dillingham was in this community last Saturday night.

Mrs. Ruel Tucker and two little daughters, Ruth and Bettie, are visiting Mrs. Tucker's father, Mr. J. W. Arnold, of Knifley.

Clarence, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Tucker, who has been confined to his bed since December, is able to be out again.

Mr. Willie Stayton, has gone to Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young and little son are visiting their parents near Joppa.

Miss Millard Shirrell is visiting her uncle, Mr. A. T. Shirrell.

Messrs. W. A. Rice and Fred Humphress, of the Egypt neighborhood, were here one day last week.

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Mrs. Rena Hare, of Pierce, Fla., tried Cardui and afterward wrote: "I was in suffering from all sorts of female trouble, had pain in my side and legs, could not sleep, had shortness of breath. I suffered for years, until my husband insisted on my trying Cardui. The first bottle gave me relief and now I am almost well." Try Cardui. 'Twill help you.

AT ALL DRUG STORES

Nell.

Health of this community is not very good at present.

Revs. Frank and Joe Turner, Charley Dean and George Groves, closed a series of meetings a few days ago at this place with 5 conversions and three additions to the U. B. church, leaving a large number unsaved. We believe they all intend some time in the future to forsake sin and be saved, and we hope it will be in the near future that a large number of young converts will be on their way to the home that was prepared for them from the foundation of the world for they are nice intelligent people and they keep such good order and gave the preacher such good attention. We believe they were all interested about their selves, and we do hope they will all soon be on their way to Heaven. Oh! what a happy time there would be here on earth if every body was trying to serve the Lord. Now young converts trust in the Lord for he has said in his blessed word, that he will never leave thee alone. Trust in the Lord in all of your troubles and you will come out more then conquer in the end.

Ono.

Business of all kinds is looking glorious.

Hughes & Harris, merchants, at this place, are buying all kinds of produce. They sell all kinds of merchandise. Also Smith & Poppewell are following suit.

The latest snow of the winter is just bidding us farewell, and the people must welcome a muddy walk. Cheer up, for better times are coming I hope.

Squire Hughes, who has been looking for his best friends, (his sheep), was almost beside himself when he was enabled to hear the bleats of his favorites.

The Sheriff of Russell county, who has been cleaning up the work of the Ex-Sheriff, finds that he has just completed it in time for circuit court with a clear record.

A Mr. McKinley was in the town of Ono one day last week buying chickens and eggs.

Mr. Milford Tarter, the poultry man, who makes our town once every two weeks, failed to come this week on account of being sick.

M. Jones, the Cumberland Grocery man, made a flying trip to this town this week.

Mr. Eli Tarter and family are

thinking of locating in Russell Springs. Mrs. Eli Flanagan purchased his farm. We are sorry to give Mr. Tarter up, but hope he will be courteously received and we shall welcome Mrs. Flanagan and daughter to Ono.

We have had so much bad weather of late that we just met at the post-office and spend the time in telling favorite yards of which H. H. Nelson won the prize, a dog.

Fairplay.

The health of this neighborhood is reasonably good.

Miss Annie Strange of Dirigo, is visiting her brother Bob Strange.

Charlie Sanders of Joppa, was visiting his sister Mrs. Patra Hamon Sunday.

Finnis Thomas and wife of Glensfork was visiting at Basil Chapman's Saturday night.

Rev. Barger preached at Smith chapel Sunday.

J. W. Young and wife gave the young folks a social Saturday night. A large crowd present and all reported a nice time.

Elbert Pulliam of the L. W. T. S. was visiting home folks Saturday night and Sunday.

Thomas Pulliam was at Campbellsville last week on business.

Rev. Rood of Cane Valley, preached at Concord, Tuesday night.

Loren Tabor and wife visited at Mr. Rogers' near Columbia, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Deboe, Nashville Hardware drummer, was calling on our merchants last week.

Misses Rosa Young and Anna Strange, were shopping at this place Saturday.

Mrs. Martin Grider who has been very poorly for two weeks is improving.

Mr. J. A. Chapman of Glensfork was at this place Saturday.

Melvin Gifford was visiting his sister Mrs. Bennett Saturday night.

Roosevelt Okla.

Editor News.

Thinking perhaps that some of my friends and relatives would like to read a letter from this part of the world I would write a few words.

We receive the grand old Adair County News every Saturday and it is certainly appreciated in our home. We live six miles South west of Roosevelt.

we like the country allright. Cotton is the principal crop that is raised here. Roosevelt is a town of about five hundred population, situated thirteen miles south of Hobart, the county seat on the Frisco railroad. The town contains two cotton gins, three hardware stores, one feed store, one dry goods store, five general stores, two banks, two barber shops, one hotel, two restaurants, two churches, two lumber yards, telephone exchange, drug store, two black smith shops, a fine school building and a great many residences.

Oklahoma has a good school system and teachers are paid liberal salaries. Some of the school land is selling this winter and is bringing a high price. Cotton yielded more last year than was expected and brought a good price, the corn yield was light. Corn is selling from 60 to 75 cent. We are having cold weather now.

As my letter is getting long I will close. I remain respectfully, Leonard Montgomery.

News Notes.

Thomas Satterwhite, a veteran riverman, is dead in Louisville.

Between 18 and 20 inches of snow fell in Cincinnati Thursday and Thursday night.

Mrs. W. S. Gill, an aged woman of Bowling Green, died one day last week while sitting on the side of her bed dressing.

Near Cloverport, Alonzo Dowell shot and killed his son-in-law. The men fell out over the rent of a farm.

The oldest Odd Fellow in Kentucky, Martin Schmidt, of Louisville, celebrated his 89th birthday Friday.

An epidemic of diphtheria in Bath county has caused the closing of schools and abandonment of public gatherings.

Gen. Mulholland, who had been United States pension agent in the city of Philadelphia since 1894, is dead, aged 71.

Dispatches to Dun's Review testify to encouraging prospects for an active spring trade, but present conditions are rather irregular.

Four prisoners cut their way out of the jail at Cadiz and escaped. Blood hounds were put on their trail but failed to find the men.

Miss Agnes Leslie Elkins, a niece of United States Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, who shot herself at Kansas City, died of her wounds.

A heavily-loaded cigar given him as a joke by his companions may cause Everett Rector, a young farmer of Bourbon county, to lose the sight of both eyes.

Women of Dawson Springs have organized a society for the purpose of erecting a \$10,000 brick building for the graded school. Funds are being subscribed rapidly.

Dr. Cook has at last been "discovered," turning up in Santiago, Chili. He still maintains that he reached the pole and is preparing a complete account of the expedition, which he says will prove it.

Col. Roosevelt and the others of the Smithsonian African scientific expedition, arrived at Gondorko Thursday. All are well and enthusiastic over their experiences and the scientific results of their explorations.

While returning from a "jolly ride" in West Philadelphia, Jas. Graham, 19 years old, was killed by the automobile crashing into a telegraph pole. Three other occupants of the car, two of whom were women, were injured.

Valentine to the Faculty.

"A fair Western co-ed got last year, by way of valentine, notice to quit from the faculty. She and a senior had fallen in love. Both, therefore, were fired."

The speaker was Dr. Charles L. Russellman, of Bangor, the noted writer on coeducation. He continued:

"The co-ed being fired wrote this interesting reply to the faculty:

"Gentlemen—You have expelled me for neglecting my studies, yet I have learned more at your institution more than you will ever know. I have learned the meaning of love.

"What is the use of studying botany if I am not allowed to gather roses? Why should I devote my time to astronomy if I may not look at the stars? What does it profit me to spend years on mathematics and neglect my own figure?

"You have expelled my fiancé also. Do you think he is unhappy? We were married last evening."—Ex.

The Song of The Roving Sons.

Just across the sunset's barriers, just across the Farthest Sea, Lies the Land of Lost Illusions, lies the Isle of Used to Be, Lies the harbor that we sailed from when the world was all atone

To the key of life's full flower, in the symphony of June.

How they begged that we should tarry ere we launched our darling bark,

Setting sail from southern sunlight to the realm of winter dark,

How they pleaded we should never brave the breakers and the foam,

But should bide beside the hearthstone and should have a life at home.

"No," we answered, "we must hurry, for the Roving Sons are we;

We must make the great adventure, we must sail the Seventh Sea;

We have done with sloth and safety and the Little People's ways;

Better bitterness than languor, better life than length of days."

And we sail—and still are sailing underneath a starless sky,

Over wastes of waves uncharted, where we know not how nor why;

Certain only we can never more recross the Farthest Sea

To the Land of Lost Illusions, to the Isle of Used to Be.

—Saturday Evening Post.

One Shy.

She asked him if he was the photographer. He said he was. She asked him if he took children's pictures. He said he did. She asked him how much he charged. He said, "Four dollars a dozen."

"Then I'll have to go somewhere else," she replied; "I only have eleven."—Success.

Be charitable and lovable, if you can't be religious. They make the best substitute in the world.

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Foolish Extravagance.

Bills are pending in the Kentucky Legislature creating the following financial obligations other than the State now has to meet:

For the penitentiaries \$400,000

For the State Fair \$200,000.

For the State Normals \$150,000

Salaries \$50,000.

Other special appropriations \$100,000.

By the extravagance of the last Legislature there is now a deficit in the State of treasury of over \$1,000,000 and the State is

face to face with a bond issue to maintain its credit. Never in the whole history of Kentucky could

extravagance be less excused or less tolerated. It is a time for retrenchment and reform and

not for either liberality or extravagance. What will be the condition of the State treasury in

half of these bills are passed or half their amounts go through before another Legislature convenes? The warrants of the State cannot be paid. The credit of the Commonwealth will be im-

paired and the responsibility will rest, not upon Gov. Wilson and his associates in the State offices, but upon the Democratic party

as they will be due directly to a Democratic legislature. When an individual becomes extrava-

gant at a time when his income is not meeting his natural ex-

penses he is looked upon with contempt and soon becomes a bankrupt. What shall we say of

a Legislature in Kentucky which pursues the same suicidal policy? The Democrats who passed in the last Legislature new appro-

riations carrying over one half million dollars are largely responsible for an empty treasury

Now if this Legislature repeats the policy of its predecessor it will be adding insult to injury

for in the end the taxpayers will have to foot the bill.

We are not discussing the merits or demerits of any of these appropriations, we are just pointing out the folly of increas-

ing the expenditures of the State with an empty treasury.

At this time no matter how meritorious a measure may be which carries a big appropriation it should be defeated unless the

Legislature has the courage to increase the tax rate to meet it.

We do not want higher taxation in Kentucky but the State does need retrenchment and reform.

The members of the Legislature who vote for extravagant ex-

penses such as have been offered are simply digging their political graves and they are put-

ting a burden upon their party which will seriously handicap it in the next State election.—E. Town News.

Willing to Stay.

A man went to heaven, and after he had been there a few days he grew so lonesome that

he told St. Peter he reckoned that he'd go down and take a look at the other place.

"But if you go down there you can't get back," said St. Peter.

"Well I only want to go just to look at the place," said the man, so St. Peter agreed to give him a return pass if he promised to be back along toward

night.

He agreed took the pass and started off. When he reached his destination the first thing he saw was a party of old friends

playing poker, but they wouldn't let him into the game because he admitted that he had no money.

"Well, I'll fix that all right," he said, as he left them and wandered off through one of the corridors. Pretty soon he came

back and threw a big roll of bills down on the table and demanded chips. They all looked in astonishment at the size of his

pile and wanted to know where he got it, saying that they would not play with him unless he told them.

"That's all right he said. 'Give me the chips. I sold my pass.'"

Great chance never come by chance.

Gradyville.

Several from this place attended the Stapp stock sale at Columbia last Friday.

Mr. Strong Hill put in a carding machine at this place this season.

Miss Della Mitchell, of Columbia, visited Mrs. Strong Hill at this place one night last week.

C. S. Bell spent several days of last week on his farm looking the farm interests.

Mr. J. D. Walker is on the market for Dark tobacco and is paying the market price.

Mr. Geo. H. Nell, one of our progressive farmers is having a great deal of farming done, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather.

Miss May Hughes, one of the L. W. T. S. students, of Columbia, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Grady, of our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery, of Sulphur Well, spent a few days of last week visiting their relatives in this community.

Mr. Lewis Moore, who has been confined to his room for several weeks with a complication of diseases, is improving at this time.

Our farmers put in the few days of good weather last week in the way of plowing, sowing grass seed and preparing to sow oats. It is a thing of the past to find men around our stores out of employment. High priced corn, bacon, flour and Burley tobacco will get a move on our farmers.

We are glad to note that Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stephen, who have been confined to their rooms for several weeks, have about recovered, and also their daughter, Mrs. Estus, is improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keen, who have been living near this place for the past year, have removed to Mr. Brack Cain's farm near Columbia.

Rev. John Roach, of Eastfork, was shaking hands with his many friends in our town one day last week. He also visited his son and family of this community.

Married, at the home of bride last Sunday morning Miss Myrtle A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sparks, of Weed, to Mr. W. D. Cole, of same place. The conjugal knot was tied by Rev. Walford in a very impressive manner. After the ceremony the bride and groom attended church then they repaired to the home of the groom where a bountiful repast was served consisting of everything good to eat. Quite a number of their friends and associates were present to partake of this bountiful repast.

Ella.

Health of this community is some better at this writing.

The farmers are preparing for these crops.

Mr. Oscar Hardwick and Mosie Rexroat and family and George Burton and wife, will leave next Monday for Arkansas.

Mrs. Sarah Abrell was shopping at Sano one day last week.

Mr. Owen Dillingham of Neatsburg, was visiting J. B. Abrell last Friday night.

Mr. T. W. Bryant was here one day last week on business.

Mrs. Ella Pike who has been

visiting friends and relatives at Coburg has returned home.

Mr. Tom Hazard our timber man, was through here one day last week looking after his timber.

Mrs. Nona Bricken is on the sick list at this writing.

Lizzie Abrell visited Girtie Bryant at Sano, last week.

Mr. S. W. Pile is on the sick this week.

Miss George Ann Neat visited Lizzie Abrell one day last week.

Dr. Perryman is confined to his room with grip, we hope he will be out again soon.

Mrs. Sarah Abrell visited Mr. James Smiley one day last week.

I will ring off with best wishes to the Adair County News.

Russell Springs.

Two days of sunshine in succession is a very rare thing, but we surely had them last week.

Miss Cora Brockman entered school here this week.

Mr. J. E. Murrell of the News, was at our place last Tuesday night the 22.

Mr. Jas. Montgomery of Columbia, was calling on friends here to-day.

Born, to the wife of Jule Kimble, a daughter Feb. the 20th.

Mr. Frank Hale, an old and respected citizen of this place, died the 24th of this month.

The entertainment at the R. S. A., the night of the 22, was a perfect success in every way. Proceeds amounting to \$30.

Prof. L. O. Phelps of the R. S. A., has been in Jamestown during court.

Mrs. Chas. Winfrey, entertained Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Vaughan and their sister, Mrs. A. R. Humble, of Somerset, at her home, The Springs Hotel, Monday night the 21st.

Mr. Felix Simmons and Miss Bryant of Sano, eloped to Tennessee Monday night. The groom being 75 and the bride 16 years of age.

Born, Feb. 20th, to the wife of Mr. Will Grider, a son.

Mr. O. B. Vaughan and family accompanied by their sister, Mrs. Humble, returned to their home in Somerset Friday, after a visit of several weeks at their fathers, Mr. Wm. Vaughan.

Parties who bought lots of from the Vaughan property secured their deeds last week.

Mr. Virgil Grissom, traveling salesman was among our merchants Friday.

Mr. Goode, traveling for Belknap Hardware House, of Louisville, was in our midst last week.

Misses Pearl and Myrtle Phelps, of Esto, visited here and attended the exercises at the R. S. A., the 22.

Miss Bessie Young of Stapp Spring, left to-day for Burnside, to visit her sister Mrs. Rufus Hatfield.

U. G. McFarland, Revenue Gauger, was here Wednesday.

Miss Ida Ishell and Miss Adell Marcum, visited Miss Lura Clemmons, who is very sick at her home at Esto.

Mr. U. G. Rexroat made a business trip to Columbia Monday returning Wednesday.

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Mt Pleasant.

The health of this community is very good at the present.

Mr. Ed Butler and family visited at Mr. Josh Butler's last Sunday.

Miss Belle Butler spent last week with her sister Mrs. Mont Conover.

Mr. Henry Cundiff bought a fine milch cow last week.

Mr. S. C. Hood is at home from his mill this week.

The party at M. C. Harmon last Saturday night was largely attended and a all report a fine time.

Miss Amanda Butler spent last week in Columbia.

Miss Mary Vanhoy is spending a few days with Miss Judie Montgomery of Greensburg.

Mrs. Mary Hutchison was quite sick several days of last week.

Miss Hattie Williams was at home last Saturday and Sunday from the L. W. T. S.

Miss Virgie Tupman left last Friday for Nashville, where she has accepted a position in the millinery business.

Miss Cora Smith spent last Saturday at George Cundiffs.

Mr. Marshall Yarberty who has been in feeble health for sometime is no better.

Mr. Owen Tupman sold one horse to Mr. Will Hutchison for \$70.

Wilbur Smith bought a milch cow from Mr. Josh Butler, price unknown.

Pelham.

The farmers are very busy breaking up corn ground.

Mr. H. T. Smith remains about the same. He has been confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Mr. Sanney Browning of the L. W. T. S., was visiting J. P. Cundiff last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Todd were visiting friends and relative here last week. They will start to Kansas City in a few days.

Carl Cape will start to Indiana next Monday, where he is going to work this year.

Ernest Cundiff sold to John R. Cundiff one work horse for \$100. Same party sold one buggy to J. W. Cundiff for \$40.

Mr. Ernest Cundiff will try the west in the near future, he will start about the 15th of this month, having accepted a job on a street car. We regret very much to give this young man up.

Mr. Joe Todd and Perry Cundiff were in Campbellsville last Saturday on business.

Dr. Moore who has moved in our neighborhood has been quite sick for the past month.

Mrs. Nona Dohoney who has been quite sick, is some better at this writing.

Misses Montra and Lulu Cundiff attended the Jesse James show at Cane Valley last Thursday night. It was good and everything was just to perfection.

Owensby.

The health of this community is not very good at present.

There was a large crowd in Jamestown Monday, it being the first day of circuit court.

Shelby Williams' condition is very critical.

Messrs. John Rue Holt and

Richard Woodridge, Sewelltown, did business here one day last week.

M. L. Owens attended court at Jamestown Monday.

Whooping cough is still prevalent in this part.

Sam Aaron recently purchased a cow of Mrs. Julia Collins for \$20.

Messrs. Gee Miller, Ivie Woodridge and Willie Sullivan have gone to Illinois to stay awhile.

Gaither Grider and sister, Sallie Eastham, spent a few days last week with their sister, Eliza Gilpin, of Casey county, who has been quite sick but is better at this writing.

Misses Callie Gaines and Idell Sims, visited at J. H. Bagers Sunday.

Mr. Ernest Barger and wife recently visited Mr. Oma Wolford and wife of Sewelltown.

Miss Mollie Keen visited Willie Keen Sunday night.

On Feb. 10, 1910, the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gilpin, of Casey county, and claimed for its victim their dear beloved little darling Raymon Lewis, age 15 months. Little Raymon was sick just a few days with that terrible disease diptheria, but all that medical skill could do was done but to no avail for God saw fit to call it to the home prepared for his children. The remains were laid to rest in the family burying ground, at home to await the coming of the resurrection morn.

Creelsboro.

G. W. Bledsoe of this place is in Louisville this week on business.

Messrs Hughes and Bunch, our blacksmiths, are doing quite a lot of work this winter.

F. M. Barnes bought of W. H. Mann three hogs at 9 cents.

Campbell Bros. have recently lost about fifty head of hogs of cholera. L. D. Grider lost a \$24 porker from same disease.

Mr. Shipley, adm'r. of Sam Lawrence estate, was at this place a few days ago. He announces that there will be no more liquor sold at the Sand Lick Blind Trial. We echo amen. That badmannered thing has certainly been a menace to this section.

F. M. Flatt bought a Peacock horse of W. H. Ross, price \$150.

Will Grider and Claude Mann and others were in Jamestown a few days ago, business with the land jury.

J. V. Dudley of Glensfork is conducting a singing school at this place. Our class is being trained to a high point of efficiency.

Several of our farmers are preparing for a large crop of tobacco. If we are to judge the future by the past most of this crop will be matured by April 1st.

G. R. Antle of Clinton County bought a big lot of timber of B. F. Leach and has a number of hands in the hills getting it out. J. D. Irvin and wife are in Louisville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morgan are in Louisville where Mrs. Morgan is to undergo an operation. We pray God's blessings for Mrs. Morgan in this trying ordeal.

All parties holding accounts against Aaron Richards, deceased, are requested to present same to me, on or before the first day of April, 1910.

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Absher.

Mrs. Mary A. Brockman is on the sick list.

Mr. R. O. Dillingham was at Raley Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Emma and Clara Robertson and Arva Cave were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Humphress Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooley and their sons were at Mr. B. F. Thomas' Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith and children, of near Holmes, visited the latter's parents at this place Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Absher, of Cane Valley, visited relatives in this neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Feese visited Mr. and Mrs. Nick Thomas Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Rebecca Brockman, Annie Robertson and Bertha Martin, Messrs. Coy Brockman, Frank, Welby and Elbert Cooley were at Mr. Ben Robertson's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. H. B. Robertson was at Holmes last Saturday.

Mr. Nell Cape spent Saturday night with Mrs. Fred Humphress.

Miss Nannie Cooley is visiting Mrs. Ethyl Russell this week.

Messrs. H. B. Robertson, J. H. Morris, Elbert Cooley and R. O. Dillingham made a business trip to Coburg last Tuesday.

Mr. W. P. Dillingham was at Cane Valley Tuesday.

Mr. Jake Vanhoy was in this

neighborhood a few days ago.

Mrs. Harriett Robertson and daughter, Miss Annie, visited Mrs. Robertson's sister, Mrs. W. A. Humphress, last Tuesday.

Ralph, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooley, is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary A. Brockman, Arva and Cleo Cave spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Robertson.

Miss Eula Martin, who has been staying with her aunt visited at home Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. Holt, the machine agent, was at this place last week.

Mrs. W. A. Humphress happened to a very painful accident last Saturday. She slipped and fell dislocating one of her wrists.

Mr. Donnie Jones is no better at this writing.

Dr. W. R. Grissom, of Columbia, passed through here enroute to Knifey one day last week.

Henry Cooley and Osey Dillingham were in Campbellsville Wednesday night.

Messrs. Herschel, Mat and Ingram Robertson were at Raley one day last week.

I will on Monday March 7, 1910, at the court-house door in Columbia Ky., sell at Public auction to the highest bidder, about 180 acres of land lying on the waters of Green river, near Ella, post-office, which is known as the arch Gadberrry land, and belonged to J. S. Stapp, at the time of his death. Terms of sale will be made known on day of sale. Jas. Garnett, Executor, 162 of J. S. Stapp.